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TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA

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MARCH 5, 1974

To: AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMBASSADOR AKINS - EYES ONLY FOR:

FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER

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THE WHITE HOUSE

ASHRAF MARWAN MAY HAVE STATED TO KAMAL THAT I TOLD PRESIDENT SADAT THERE WOULD BE NO ISRAELI-SYRIAN DISENGAGEMENT UNTIL THE OIL EMBARGO IS LIFTED.

2. YOU SHOULD INFORM ADHAM THAT A PROCESS HAS ALREADY BEEN PUBLICLY REVEALED FOR THE ISRAELIS AND SYRIANS TO SEND REPRESENTA-TIVES TO WASHINGTON IN THE NEAR FUTURE TO DISCUSS DISENGAGEMENT PROPOSALS WITH ME. THIS IS NO WAY LINKED TO THE DIL EMBARGO. IT WAS AGREED ON BY BOTH SIDES AS REPRESENTING THE OPTIMUM THAT COULD BE ACHIEVED.

WARM REGARDS.

State Dept. review completed

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